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Nashua says no to AMR deal

City Council wants Nashua Area EMS to pursue mutual-aid agreements instead

BY KELLY TERPSTRA
Of the Reporter

The city of Nashua did not accept a proposed three-year contract with AMR (American Medical Response), Charles City and Floyd County at Monday's regular City Council meeting.

With that rejection of a three-year offer to provide ambulance service to the city limits of Nashua via

a binding 28E Agreement, the town of approximately 1,500 may choose to partner up with various communities via mutual-aid agreements once its own volunteer ambulance service – Nashua Area EMS – is up and running.

Currently the city of Nashua has a 28E Agreement with AMR (American Medical Response) to provide emergency aid as part of a six-month contract for backup ser-

vice that runs out on June 30, 2023. The cost for the service is \$10,000 and is split 50/50 between Charles City and Floyd County – which is each paying \$100,000 annually in monthly installments to AMR for service.

The contract with AMR, Floyd County and Charles City would have been for three years, starting July 1, 2023 until June 30, 2026. Nashua City Clerk John Ott said there was

a clause that Nashua could have backed out of the agreement, but that would need to be voted on and approved by Floyd County and Charles City.

The cost would have come out to \$41,500 in the first year of the contract, with a 5 percent increase each year

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County reverses course on building for its EMS service

Supervisors offer former ambulance provider \$350,000 for his building near New Hampton's downtown area

BY BOB FENSKA
Of the Reporter

The Chickasaw County Board of Supervisors performed a complete U-turn Monday morning when it unanimously approved making an offer to purchase an existing building to house Chickasaw County EMS.

After meeting in closed session for almost an hour, board members, on a 5-0 vote, approved a motion to direct County Attorney David Laudner to draft an offer agreement for the property located at 204 E. Prospect Street in the amount of \$350,000.

That building is owned by Jeremy McGrath, whose Chickasaw Ambulance Service provided EMS services to the county until Chickasaw County EMS began its service on Jan. 1.

Monday's vote came a week after the board voted 3-2 to have Laudner prepare an option to purchase agreement for a building located at 259 E. Prospect St. that is owned by Thronson and Thronson Inc.

McGrath had the building constructed in 2017 to house a transport business he was hoping to start but also with the idea that it might one day become home to his ambulance service.

He had offered to sell the building to the county this past fall as part of a proposal that also included his ambulances and equipment, but after the county decided to purchase new ambulances, McGrath said his interest in selling the building diminished.

"They contacted me months ago [about just the building], and I wasn't really interested in selling," McGrath said. "At the time, I wasn't interested."

But he said as time went on, he felt his building would be a natural fit for the county-owned service that has 28E agreements to provide ambulance services to the cities of New Hampton,

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Getting ready for Nashua's big party

Water Over the Dam Days, the biggest party of the year in Nashua, will kick off two weeks from today.

In next week's Reporter, we'll look ahead to both the town's celebration that is put on by the Nashua Park Board and the annual Civil War Re-enactment that will take place at the Old Bradford Pioneer Village that same weekend.

IOWA SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE FINDS A LOT TO LIKE DURING HIS VISIT TO PLAINFIELD-AREA DAIRY FARM

BY KELLY TERPSTRA
Of the Reporter

Natalie Paino's journey to becoming a budding entrepreneur is an amazing story.

Mike Naig – Iowa's Ag Secretary – listened to Paino's remarkable tale on Thursday morning near her childhood home outside of Plainfield.

The setting was the White Gold Dairy Farm – owned by Natalie's parents, Terry and Kelly Eick.

The courageous venture Paino has undertaken as a new business owner has in turn perhaps changed the viewpoint and process of what Naig and his state-run government agency does – and that's to regulate the beef, poultry and dairy industry in Iowa.

He's also a farmer's biggest supporter if they want to broaden their horizons and take chances in order to succeed.

"I'm firmly on both sides of the line," said

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Survey shows cash rents for farmland sets record

BY BOB FENSKA
Of the Reporter

Iowa farmland cash rental rates have reached record levels this summer, according to survey results released by Iowa State University Extension and Outreach.

The report showed that cash rental rates for Iowa farmland shows that rates increased by 9% in 2023 to the highest average value on record – \$279 per acre. This new peak rent is 3.3% higher than the previous one of

\$270 per acre observed in 2013, but does not take into account inflation rates over the past 10 years.

Iowans supplied 1,306 usable responses about typical cash rental rates in their counties for land producing corn and soybeans, hay, oats and pasture. Of these, 42% came from farmers, 37% from landowners, 9% from professional farm managers and realtors, 7% from agricultural lenders, and 5% from

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Bob Fenske/Reporter

A perfect day at Cedar View Park!

Let's put it this way, Thursday was, in a word, perfect at Cedar View Park in Nashua, and from campers (above) getting a head start on the weekend to Charley Sudol (below right) and a couple of boys (below left) having fun at the Splash Pad, folks took advantage of the ideal summer day when the temperature topped out in the upper 70s, the skies were blue and the winds were refreshing.



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Young woman has lofty goals for her dairy operation

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Naig. "I myself, here I stand as your regulator and my friends would also say I'm a heckuva an advocate for this industry as well."

The brand name of Paino's product is Hightail Dairy – spawned when she was a freshman in college at Iowa State University five years ago.

The transition from scholar to dairy farmer for Paino – a 2018 Tripoli High School grad – is one of a passion to prosper, lots of resilience to overcome challenges and in the end, hope that it will all work.

The newly re-elected Naig – along with Iowa State Representatives Chad Ingels (68th District) and Shannon Latham (55th District) – toured Eick's family farm on a beautiful sunny day just down the highway from Plainfield and not too far from nearby Nashua.

WHILE PAINO'S STORY is unique – her fight to get her business off the ground isn't.

"I know that I am the guinea pig with all of this," said Paino, who sells Hightail beef (Plainfield), Yellow Table Farm eggs and fresh produce (Tripoli), Hansen's Dairy creamline milk and cheese curds (Hudson) and Farm Boy Foods pork (Plainfield) online and at various events around the area.

That's just a start as she also wants to begin branching out and making her own cheese curds.

"So I'm starting with cheese curds hopefully and we'll see where it goes from there," said Paino.

But let's rewind, when Paino – who recently married her husband Marquise this past April – graduated with a degree in Agriculture Business from ISU in just 2.5 years. She launched Hightail when she first enrolled in Ames in the spring of 2019.

She spent what was left of her college savings, which was minimal, and bought an ice cream machine.

"I actually didn't know how to make ice cream," said Paino.

She said it took less than \$20,000 to get her business started – which eventually she wants to turn into a much larger creamery.

"I boot-strapped it, obviously," said Paino.

Then COVID-19 hit.

"The first summer after my freshman year is when I lost my business," said Paino. "What do you do with a business that's all events?"

You re-invent yourself, that's what you do.

That's where the home delivery concept came into play.

"COVID provided a pretty great opportunity for that," said Paino.

Paino sells the majority of her products around the area. She also has formed a partnership with various communities to sell her ice cream products wholesale that get distributed at concession stands, like at baseball or T-ball games. There's also swim meets at Sumner – where her ice cream has also been a hit.

"I don't make a whole lot of money on that end, but it's more to give back," said Paino.

Paino said she uses Anderson Erickson milk now to make her dairy product, but that could change – at least that's the plan.

"The ultimate goal has been to always use my own milk," said Paino. "I'm trying to build a customer base and create some loyalty that way and then eventually bring in my own milk and own products that way."

Paino also applied for a Dairy Business Innovation Alliance (DBIA) grant and was awarded \$50,000. She also received a loan from a local bank. That money helped her buy a shipping container – which recently arrived at her family farm two weeks ago.

"I'm trying to do this with as little risk as possible," said Paino. "It is risky to put up a multi-million dollar creamery with 53 cows. I need to know if this is going to work."

The shipping container is where the Eick's cow's milk is processed.

THE TRICKY PART with her burgeoning endeavor is the setup and what is and isn't allowed by state/federal regulators and laws. It's an ever-changing landscape for dairy farms that want to branch out in a less-than conventional method compared to what used to be the norm.

"Clearly, when these things were devel-



Kelly Terpstra/Reporter

State Rep. Shannon Latham talks with Natalie Paino (above) while Iowa Secretary of Agriculture Mike Naig (below) listens intently to a presentation by the owners of White Gold Dairy Farm during a tour Thursday morning.



oped, we didn't envision the concept of on-farm processing connected to retail. It is envisioned in a meat-locker setting. You can be retail custom exempt," said Naig.

The Grade A Pasteurized Milk Ordinance (PMO) industry is the standard guide for dairy farms. Those rules govern on how milk can be processed, transported and sold, etc.

"The PMO is designed for modern-day agriculture," said Terry Eick. "Milk gets all put together ... different sources and mixing it all together. You've got to be on top of it. Here you've got a single-point source. Your risk to the public to some degree is minimized because it's a firewall. You're only serving that small number of customers where you're not bringing it all in together and then sending it back out to tens of thousands."

The problem Paino and her parents run into are hurdles that need to obviously be crossed.

"As it stands now, they would like me to have a milk truck," said Paino. "The milk truck has to go to a licensed wash facility after every use."

Paino said the nearest wash facility is in Independence – an hour away.

"The big thing is how am I going to get the milk from the barn to here," said Paino.

Paino said the regulators would prefer that she pipe the milk into her processing center. She did say that Wapsie Valley Creamery picks up her milk that becomes her ice cream at the White Gold Dairy Farm.

"With our setup it's not necessarily ideal. Trying to make both parties happy is the struggle I'm going through," said Paino.

Naig explained what dairy farms like the one that Paino and her parents own are dealing with. Let's just say that there aren't a terrible lot of dairy farms like the Eick's in the state of Iowa.

"The challenge is our inspectors are trying to interpret federal PMO," said Naig. "What I keep poking on is, where are the things that we can interpret, versus where are we absolutely just tied to? Interpretation changes over time. It may read one way, but it was never envisioned that it

was a setup like this."

Naig is balancing a fine line between governing and supporting small-business owners in the state that want to expand and realize their dreams.

"I make no bones about it – I want to encourage the very large-end production that we see in parts of the state and we want to encourage the absolute other end of the spectrum," said Naig. "We think that if you're going to encourage that, you have to have more of this and you have to be able to sell it."

Naig also understands that the future is uncertain – but positive change could be in the cards down the road for Paino and the Eick family. That would certainly make it easier for them to succeed in a competitive market.

"It's the same on the meat and poultry side. We can't be really consultants because we're going to come in and be your regulator," said Naig. "There is a distinction between the inspector and somebody who is advising on the front end. We might have to envision another role – as in somebody that does that. I don't know, we're thinking about that."

Naig was clearly impressed with Paino's drive and determination in her quest to branch out in her business.

"This is where we're headed. We want more of this. If we want more of this, then we have to deal with the other side of that, too," said Naig. "People want this. You had a COVID supply-chain disruption that had a lot of people thinking how can I shop more locally?"

JUNE IS NATIONAL Dairy Month and for Paino – a fifth-generation dairy farmer that has lofty goals to succeed in a business is that ever-changing – isn't slowing down anytime soon. In fact, she's moving forward with all her might to see if her plan can unfold and a potential profit will come her way.

"This is year five, which is kind of crazy," said Paino. "This is just a starting point and this is my way to leapfrog into maybe having a permanent facility. I'm seeing if I have a market for this and I can make this work."

Naig believes what Paino is doing could just be the start of a new frontier of dairy farmers in the state.

"We want to see more on-farm dairy processing," said Naig. "It's good for producers. It's great for consumers. I'm excited about what's going to happen in the next couple years in this phase."

One more thing, how did Hightail get its name? It was her father's idea, but Paino told the story.

"During the long winter, they (cows) don't get to go out to pasture. But it greens up in the springtime, you open up the gates and for the first time they get to run out and they're just so excited," said Paino about the cows "hightailing" out of the barn to frolic in the field and graze on grass that will soon become milk, which eventually ends up as ice cream on the White Gold Dairy Farm.

Bremer tops area when it comes to farmland rent

FARMLAND: FROM 1

other professions and respondents who chose not to report their status. Respondents indicated being familiar with a total of 1.4 million cash rented acres across the state.

The survey showed that the highest rental rates were in District 3, which covers Northeast Iowa and includes Chickasaw and Bremer counties. The survey showed that the average rent for corn and soybean acres in the district was \$307. District 2, which covers North Central Iowa and includes Butler and Floyd counties, had average rents of \$285 per acre.

Of the four area counties, Bremer had the highest rental rates at \$325 per acre. Butler's average was \$298, Chickasaw

County's average rate was \$294 and Floyd County's average was \$256.

Alejandro Plastina, an ISU Extension economist who conducted the survey, said that there was considerable variability across counties in year-to-year changes, as is typical of survey data, but 91 out of the 99 Iowa counties experienced increases in average rents for corn and soybeans.

Only Des Moines, Jefferson, Lucas, Muscatine, Van Buren, Wapello, Warren, and Woodbury Counties experienced declines in their overall average cash rents.

Besides typical rents for ground on corn and soybeans, the report also shows typical rents for alfalfa, grass hay, oats, pasture, corn stalk grazing, and hunting rights in each district.

Briefs

Glenn Miller Orchestra to perform at Allison park Sunday

The world famous Glenn Miller Orchestra will perform at Wilder Park, Allison, on Sunday, June 11, from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

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Refreshments will be available from several vendors. Handicapped parking is available and free shuttle service will operate from all parking areas. Bring a lawn chair.

In case of rain, the event will be held in the auditorium of the Allison School.

ISU dean's list

More than 9,800 Iowa State University students have been recognized for outstanding academic achievement by being named to the spring semester dean's list.

Students named to the dean's list must have earned a grade point average of at least 3.50 on a 4.00 scale while carrying a minimum of 12 credit hours of graded course work.

Area students honored included (with class year and major):

- Ionia — Abigail Poppe, 4, industrial engineering.
- Nashua — Drew Moine, 4, management information systems; and Jaymie Ann Wasem, 4, family and consumer science education and studies.

ISU graduates

Nearly 4,600 graduates received degrees from Iowa State University this spring. Graduate and undergraduate commencement ceremonies were held May 11-13 at Hilton Coliseum.

Alumna Trudy Huskamp Peterson, the first woman archivist of the United States; and Temple Grandin, distinguished professor of animal sciences at Colorado State University, animal welfare pioneer and activist for people with autism, received honorary degrees during the undergraduate ceremonies.

Following are area graduates:

- Ionia — Abigail Poppe, bachelor of science, industrial engineering, cum laude.
- Nashua — Drew Moine, bachelor of science, management information systems, magna cum laude.

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Supervisors want to know who technically owns fire station in Fredericksburg

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Bassett, Fredericksburg, Ionia, Lawler and North Washington.

McGrath said that when the building that has four garage stalls was constructed, it was built with the idea of being able to add "living quarters" at some time in the future and that he believes it will be a benefit to Chickasaw County EMS.

"They need a home, and they need it downtown," McGrath said, "and my belongings don't have to be downtown."

McGrath was asked if he would accept the county's offer.

"Undecided," he said. "We're close."

Currently, Chickasaw County EMS is renting space from the city of New Hampton at the Police Department for its ambulances and its crews are housed at a rental home in the 200 block of South Walnut Avenue, which is a little more than three blocks from the rigs.

Also on Monday, supervisors again discussed where the ambulance service's third rig will be housed.

Board members agreed to purchase a "remounted" vehicle from Klockie Emergency Vehicles for \$204,000 last month, and that rig is expected to be delivered to the county sometime in August.

Chickasaw County EMS Director Joel Knutson said at the time the board agreed to purchase the vehicle that he would like to have the "back-up" ambulance housed in Fredericksburg at the city's fire station, but supervisors since then have had questions about who owns the building.

County Assessor said the latest document he found on the

building was one dated 1997 that showed the building is owned by the Fredericksburg Community Development Corp.

Supervisor Jake Hackman said the question on who owns the building needs to be answered so that Laudner can draw up a lease agreement.

Supervisor Travis Suckow, whose district includes Fredericksburg, said that he has been told by city leaders that there are other options for storing the ambulance.

"The mayor basically told me we can figure out where it's going later," said Suckow, who added that Fredericksburg city officials say they are willing to work with the county to find a suitable building to house the ambulance. He also said that the fire station is "basically" owned by the city, but Hackman said the county, for insurance purposes, needs to know who owns any building that houses EMS equipment.

No matter where the rig is, the EMS director said he'd like to see the ambulance "fully stocked" so that it was ready to answer calls in a relatively short amount of time.

He also said he'd like to focus efforts on recruiting responders from the Fredericksburg area.

"We don't have a ton of responders down there and we know that," he said. "The optimist in me says if you build it they will come. Once we get it down there, let's offer a class, let's build some momentum for that."

Board members agreed to have both Suckow and Knutson meet with Fredericksburg Mayor Jimmy Mitchell and once a "parking spot" is identified, Laudner will begin to draw up the paperwork for a lease.



Bob Fenske/REPORTER

This building, which is located at the intersection of Prospect Street and Water Avenue in New Hampton, could be the future home of Chickasaw County EMS.

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CHICKASAW COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS' MINUTES May 30, 2023

The Board convened on Tuesday, May 30, 2023, at 9:00 AM with members Breitbach, Suckow, Kuhn, Cerwinski and Hackman present in the Boardroom on the 2nd floor of the Court House, New Hampton, Iowa. Chairperson Kuhn called the meeting to order. Also present were Auditor Sheila Shekleton, Attorney David Laudner, Gardner + Company CPA Elizabeth Thyer, Kelly Terpstra, member of the media, Kathy Shekleton, Terry Johnson, Engineer Roman Lensing, EMS Director Joel Knutson, Recorder Shirley Troyna, Treasurer Matt Ysbrand, Veterans Services Katy Kuehn, Veterans Service Administrator Keith Elenz, EMA/911 Director Jeff Berntz, Sheriff Ryan Shawver, Chickasaw County Safety Officer Cathy Knutson, Assessor Raymond Armel, Chickasaw County Public Health Lisa Welter RN, Ann Knutson RN, Grassley Representative Matt Rector.

Motion by Cerwinski, seconded by Suckow to approve the agenda for May 30, 2023. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Hackman, seconded by Breitbach to approve the meeting minutes from May 22, 2023 with a change. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion carried.
No Public Comment:
Motion by Hackman, seconded by Breitbach to pay the City of Ionia \$233.14 instead of \$233.16 for their share out of fund 4020 to close the ambulance account due to rounding. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Hackman, seconded by Breitbach to approve RESOLUTION # 05-30-23-34 WHEREAS, Chapter 321.236 and 321.237, Code of Iowa provides the Board of Supervisors authority

at Chickasaw Heritage Building Center pending insurance approval. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion carried.

Discussed the Sheriff Department's need for a part-time/on call/as needed dispatcher starting no sooner than July 1, 2023.

Discussed putting an ambulance in Fredericksburg and the need for an agreement.

Motion by Breitbach, seconded by Hackman to enter closed session under section 21.5(1)(J) to discuss the potential sale or purchase of real estate at 10:07 AM. Roll Call Ayes: Breitbach, Hackman, Suckow, Cerwinski, and Kuhn. Motion carried.

Motion by Breitbach, seconded by Hackman to exit closed session under section 21.5(1)(J) to discuss the potential sale or purchase of real estate at 11:14 AM. Roll Call Ayes: Breitbach, Hackman, Suckow, Cerwinski, and Kuhn. Motion carried.

Motion by Breitbach, seconded by Cerwinski to direct County Attorney to prepare an optional offer to purchase real estate located at 259 E. Prospect St. in New Hampton owed by Thordson and Thordson, Inc. for \$250,000.00 with thirty days to exercise the option to purchase. Roll Call Aye: Breitbach, Cerwinski, Kuhn. Nays: Suckow, Hackman. Motion carried.

Motion by Breitbach, seconded by Cerwinski to renewing agreement for \$39,900.00 from Tyler Technologies for one year starting September 1, 2023 thru August 31, 2024. Roll Call: All Ayes. Motion carried.

Discussed the option contract is being offered because Chickasaw County only wants to pay \$220,000.00 and the EMS is hoping to raise \$30,000.00 through donations.

Discussed water testing at the Chickasaw Heritage Building Center.

Discussed the electrical service at the Chickasaw Heritage Building Center.

Motion by Hackman, seconded by Breitbach to approve RESOLUTION # 05-30-23-34 WHEREAS, Chapter 321.236 and 321.237, Code of Iowa provides the Board of Supervisors authority

to cause to be erected regulatory signs in accordance with standards established by the Iowa Department of Transportation; and WHEREAS, it has been recommended by the County Engineer & Secondary Roads Department to control traffic at the following intersections; NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the County Engineer & Secondary Roads Department is directed to install Temporary Stop Signs to control traffic at the following locations: Ivanhoe Ave. & 150th St. Intersection

Install Temporary Stop Sign at the Northeast corner stopping Westbound traffic on 150th Street at the intersection.

Install Temporary Stop Sign at the Southwest corner stopping Eastbound traffic on 150th St. at the intersection. Jasper Ave. & 150th St. Intersection

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Nashua hoping to be able to fill gaps with mutual aid agreements

CITY COUNCIL: FROM 1

thereafter.

"If they only come down here four times a year, are you going to pay them \$10,000 a call?" said Nashua EMS crew chief Zenda Vikturek. "It's not feasible, you guys. It's not. Maybe if we paid them per call. We will not make \$40,000 a year with 100 calls."

The problem for Nashua is if it can't get other communities to climb aboard in a mutual-aid agreement. That's something Ott said could happen with Chickasaw County's newly formed EMS – which Nashua did not enter into a partnership with via a 28E Agreement.

"I will say the Ambulance Committee is against signing the 28E Agreement because they feel we can do mutual-aid agreements with other communities," said Ott. "It sounded like they may not go along with a mutual-aid agreement if Nashua does

not go with AMR."

Charles City and Floyd County's price to subsidize AMR in the new contract that has not been entered into as of yet, went up from \$200,000 a year in the previous contract to \$415,000.

The Floyd County Ambulance Commission recommended that the Charles City Council and the Floyd County Board of Supervisors approve a new three-year contract with AMR just this past Monday.

That commission approved two different sets of contracts – one that splits the annual cost to subsidize AMR services three ways, with Charles City and Floyd County each paying 45 percent and Nashua 10 percent.

The other proposed contract was a 50-50 split between CC and Floyd County.

Nashua voted down that first contract after it was deadlocked

2-2. Nashua Council members Hal Kelleher and Jake Johnson voted in favor of the contract with AMR, while Tim Malven and Ernie Wilsher voted no. Council member Samantha Johnson was not present at the meeting. A majority vote – or at least a 3-2 decision with a quorum of five Council members – is required to pass resolutions in city government.

Ott broke down Nashua's quandary when it comes to a 28E Agreement for ambulance service or a mutual-aid agreement.

"Just like Chickasaw County has a guaranteed ALS (advanced life saving) and BLS (basic life saving) service, the contract with AMR that Floyd County and Charles City has, has that same guarantee of an ALS and BLS service. If we join that contract those services would be available to us, just like they are Floyd County and Charles City. If we fail to sign the agreement, because they only

have one ALS service, they're going to prioritize their people over ours. So if they only have one ALS, they may not send an ALS if need be."

Malven also gave his two cents worth about the difference between the varying levels of EMS that towns can agree upon.

"A 28E is a guarantee of service. A mutual-aid, there's no guarantee they're going to sign off as you say and help out," said Malven. "It could be nobody."

While there have been rumblings Chickasaw County might not agree to a mutual-aid agreement with Nashua if that municipality requested it, individuals associated with Nashua's EMS have also heard support from the Chickasaw County EMS.

"Based on your guy's professional opinions and what you're dealing with, do you think it would work out with Chickasaw County?" asked Malven. "You've got two people you

said that have verbalized that say they would support it. Is that enough to get across the finish line?"

Once Nashua Area EMS gets off the ground, that ambulance service can help fund any cost associated with mutual-aid agreements – if there is any. That of course is predicated on how many calls Nashua Area EMS receives for emergency life-saving service.

"Unfortunately, there's a lot of up-in-the-air's. We have no idea the calls we're going to need," said Ott.

It's a give-and-take situation for communities that bypass 28E Agreements in favor of EMS mutual-aid from other townships, counties or cities.

"They need us, we go there. We need them, they come here. It's kind of I'll scratch your back, you scratch mine," said Vikturek. "It's to help each other out. It's about the people, not about the money."

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CITY COUNCIL MINUTES

City Council Chambers, City Hall
The Nashua City Council met in regular session on June 5, 2023, in Council Chambers at City Hall. The meeting was

called to order at 7:00PM with Mayor Anthofer presiding. Council members present were Hal Kelleher III, Tim Malven and Ernie Wilsher. Jake Johnson arrived at 7:07PM, Samantha Johnson arrived at 8:43PM and Hal Kelleher left at 7:56PM. City employee(s) City Clerk John Ott; Nashua Area EMS Director Zenda Vikturek; Chickasaw County Sheriff Chief Deputy Zach Nosbisch were present along with 10 guests.

Mayor Anthofer asked for consideration approving the regular agenda. Willsher/M, Malven/S approving the regular agenda after amending to remove Doreen Cook discussing PCC Billing Service Agreement for ambulance and Action/Discussion approving PCC as a billing service. RC: 3 ayes, J. Johnson and S. Johnson absent.

Mayor Anthofer called for a motion to approve the current agenda: Minutes from the Regular Council Meeting May 15, 2023, Building Permits: 224 Woodbridge St., 902 Greeley St. Alcohol/Liquor Permits: Big Willie's Tavern (Outside Sales WODD), Nashua Civic League (WODD), Gateway to Northeast Iowa Welcome Center, and Dollar General: Cigarette/Tobacco Permits: Dollar General; Fireworks: J&M Displays (WODD). Payment of Claims (see claims report): Total Claims to be Paid \$174,696.06 + Wages \$14,965.87. Malven/M, Willsher/S, M/C. RC: 3 Ayes, J. Johnson and S. Johnson absent.

Mayor Anthofer asked for public comments. There were none.

Mayor Anthofer called for a motion to open the public hearing 28E Ambulance Service Agreement with AMR, Charles City and Floyd County. Malven/M, Kelleher/S, M/C. RC: 3 Ayes, J. Johnson and S. Johnson absent. The public hearing was opened at 7:01PM. After some lengthy discussion Mayor Anthofer called for a motion to close the public hearing. J. Johnson/M, Malven/S, M/C. RC: 4 Ayes, S. Johnson absent. The public hearing was closed at 7:25PM.

Mayor Anthofer asked for a motion to approve the 28E Agreement. J. Johnson/M, H. Kelleher/S, M/C. RC: J. Johnson, Hal Kelleher Ayes, Malven and Willsher Nay, S. Johnson absent. The motion to approve the contract failed on a 2-2 vote and S. Johnson was absent.

Mayor Anthofer called for a motion to open the public hearing to discuss the application for special permit for 801 Woodbridge St. J. Johnson/M, Malven/S, M/C. RC: 4 Ayes, S. Johnson absent. The public hearing was opened at 7:26PM. Several property owners near 801 Woodbridge St. attended the meeting to express their opposition to approving the permit. There were several reasons for not wanting the permit approved. They wanted to keep the area residential, which is why they purchased their properties. They knew the property behind them was commercial, but they wanted to keep the front area residential. They stated that there is already a lot of traffic

on the dead end due to people missing the corner to the business, semi's waiting to pick up trailers, concerned about kid's safety, as well as their property values.

The property owner Larry Lindloff stated that he respects everyone's opinion and that he didn't expect 3.5 years ago when they started the business that they would need the amount of space that they are using today. He also stated that he has always tried to be a good neighbor and clean up where he can to make things look better. He acknowledged that that there are trailers, but he would still like to expand. He said that he would put up fences, markings, whatever they need to do to assist keeping traffic off Madison St. They don't want to impact the residents they just want to conduct business. After discussion, Mayor Anthofer asked for a motion to close the public hearing. Willsher/M, J. Johnson/S, M/C. RC: 4 Ayes, S. Johnson absent. The public hearing was closed at 7:41PM. After the public hearing was closed, Mayor Anthofer asked for a motion to approve the Special Permit for 801 Woodbridge St. Willsher/M to deny the special permit, J. Johnson/S, M/C.

RC: Kelleher, J. Johnson, and Willsher Aye, S. Johnson absent, and Malven abstained. The motion to deny the special permit passed.

Maggie Burger from Speer Financial informed the council that the city did receive two bids for the General Obligation Corporate Purpose Loan Anticipation Notes, Series 2023. This is interim financing for any design, preparation, and planning. There were two bids, and they recommended accepting the lowest bid which was First State Bank @ 4.15%.

She explained that we are required by law to take the low bid or refuse all bids.

She stated that she did feel that this was a fair bid, and the maturity will be December 1, 2024. The reason that date was selected is because by that time we will be entering into long term financing. After Maggie was done discussing the interim financing, there were no questions.

Mayor Anthofer called for a motion to approve Resolution 23-29 Resolution Authorizing a Loan Agreement and Providing for the Issuance of a General Obligation Corporate Purpose Loan Anticipation Project Note, Series 2023. J. Johnson/M, Malven/S, M/C. RC: 4 Ayes, S. Johnson absent.

Mayor Anthofer called for a motion to approve the building permit for 206 Dawn Dr. Malven mentioned that he knew there was a Covenant in that area that may need to be investigated. J. Johnson stated that he thought that the covenant may have expired. Malven/M to table until it can be determined if the covenants are still in effect. J. Johnson/S, M/C. RC: 4 Ayes, S. Johnson absent.

Mayor Anthofer called for a motion to open the public hearing to discuss the application for special permit for 801 Woodbridge St. J. Johnson/M, Malven/S, M/C. RC: 4 Ayes, S. Johnson absent.

Business of the Mayor:

Mayor Anthofer wanted to inform the council that if they have any systems or processes that could improve efficiency and effectiveness to bring them forward to help improve the city.

Department Reports:

City Clerk Ott talked about the Iowa Thriving Communities Initiative as well as some ordinances and policies for minimum maintenance and usage that the

State of Iowa is really focusing on. City Clerk Ott stated that if cities do not implement some of these processes it will inhibit state funding for economic development. He talked about the Community Foundation changing its grant cycle, so there will not be a new grant cycle for Chickasaw County Community Foundation until May 2024. City Clerk asked for approval to attend the Brownfields Technical Assistance Conference in Des Moines on Wednesday June 7th because the city is trying to get funding through a Technical Assistance program and City Clerk Ott recommended to the council that the city have a representative at the conference. He suggested the Mayor, Council member or himself. Malven/M, J. Johnson/S, M/C to attend the event. RC: 4 Ayes, S. Johnson absent.

City Clerk Ott also informed the council that shortly after Ion Environmental Solutions takes over the water/wastewater service contract they would like the Council and Mayor to tour the facilities with them so they can show them the state of the facilities at the time they take over and again another tour in 6 months so the city council can see the changes.

City Council:

The council discussed implementing a process for work orders. City Clerk Ott put together a simple work order form for the council to review and recommend changes.

Zach Nosbisch Chickasaw County Sheriff presented their monthly report. They were in the area for 256.5 hours in May.

Discussion/Action

The council discussed multiple action items.

Malven/M, J. Johnson/S, M/C to approve the proposal by Darin Cervin and Cedar Point Church leaders to help improve Main St. They have offered to spruce up the 3 buildings to the North of Main St. by boarding up the windows upstairs, removing the computer sign, and painting the lower portion of all 3 buildings. RC: 3 Ayes, S. Johnson and Kelleher absent.

J. Johnson/M, Willscher/S, M/C to approve Nate Masters planting some trees behind his property at 107 Ridgeway Circle. The area he wants to plant the trees is on city property. RC: 3 Ayes, S. Johnson and Kelleher absent.

The council discussed the red tag fee policy because there were a couple of complaints from citizens about being given a red tag on Friday the 26th. The red tag is to provide a 24 hour disconnect notice and since the 28th (date of the disconnect) fell on a weekend and Monday was a Holiday the 24 hour disconnect notice wouldn't have gone out until Tuesday 30th and shut offs wouldn't have been until Wednesday 31st. City Clerk Ott mentioned that due to this timing and the next month's bills having to be processed on Wednesday, in order for them to be mailed by June 1st it would have caused a lot of issues in the billing cycle.

The council agreed with City Clerk Ott that sending out the Red Tag notice on Friday was appropriate and to continue to do so when the shut off dates fall on a weekend or Holiday.

Johnson/M, Malven/S, M/C to approve televising the sewer line at 315 Greeley St. The cost is estimated to be about \$2,100. RC: 3 Ayes, S. Johnson and Kelleher absent.

The council discussed the Fire Department allocating funds from the Watson Estate to purchase LUCAS devices for the ambulance service. This will be added to the next agenda for further discussion and/or approval.

J. Johnson/M, Malven/S, M/C to purchase Diamond Maps subscription when PeopleService's contract expires June 30th. J. Johnson/M, Malven/S, M/C. RC: 3 Ayes, S. Johnson and Kelleher absent.

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The council discussed the AC going out in City Hall. City Clerk Ott will work on getting bids.

Malven/M, Johnson/S, M/C to approve the bid from Henning's Electric for \$850.00 to hard wire the sampler, re-

connect and repair wiring disconnected from ceiling that was taken out in back room office. RC: 3 Ayes, S. Johnson and Kelleher absent.

The council discussed waiver of water/sewer for 416 Panama. The council will hold further discussion at the next council meeting.

J. Johnson/M, Wilsher/S, M/C to approve trading in the 2019 John Deere Z930M for a 2023 John Deere Z930M ZTrak. The price after trade will be \$8,200 and the trade will be in FY'24. RC: 3 Ayes, S. Johnson and Kelleher absent.

J. Johnson/M, Malven/S, M/C to approve fixing the lights at the wastewater treatment plant. RC: 3 Ayes, S. Johnson and Kelleher absent.

S. Johnson came into the meeting at 8:43PM.

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There was no other business. Willsher motioned to adjourn. Malven/S, M/C. RC: 4 ayes and Kelleher absent. The meeting adjourned at 9:08PM. Pending Approval by Council

John Ott

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(May 12-June 1, 2023)

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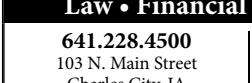
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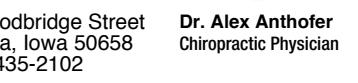
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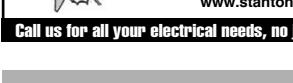
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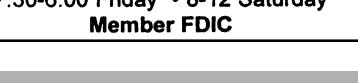
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Nashua-Plainfield senior receive bevy of awards, scholarships

A few days before they received their diplomas last month, a number of Nashua-Plainfield High School seniors received awards and, more importantly, a jump start on paying for their post-secondary educations.

During the annual Awards Night that was held on May 17, students were honored for not only their academic work but also for a variety of accomplishments in extra-curricular activities.

Here are the awards and scholarships that were handed out:

President's Education Award — Kendall Bailey-Pint,

Emily Becker, Sheyenne Bergmann, Makinze Brannon, Bailey Fisher, Bo Harrington, Kendrick Huck, Aiden Lamborn, William Lindloff, Autumn Nelson, Grady Nosbisch, Landon Pratt, Ryan Reams, Garret Rinken, Paige Ripley, Joel Winters and Jackson Zwanziger.

KWWL "Best of Class" — Aiden Lamborn.

KIMT "Scholastic All Stars"

— Autumn Nelson and Jackson Zwanziger.

Governor's Scholar — Aiden Lamborn.

Top Of Iowa Conference

Athletic All-Academic Team —

Makayla Asche, Kendall Bailey-Pint, Sheyenne Bergmann, Bailey Fisher, Bo Harrington, Kendrick Huck, Aiden Lamborn, Autumn Nelson, Landon Pratt, Ryan Reams, Garret Rinken, Paige Ripley, Joel Winters, Levi Winters and Jackson Zwanziger.

Top of Iowa Academic Excellence Award — Aiden

Lamborn, William Lindloff, Paige Ripley, Joel Winters and Jackson Zwanziger.

Top of Iowa All Conference Academic Awards — Levi Winters

(Speech and Drama), Landon Pratt (Vocational) Aiden Lamborn (Language Arts), Makinze Brannon (Band and Choir). Joel Winters (Math), Hunter Foster (Social Science), William Lindloff (Business), Paige Ripley (Visual Arts) and Jackson Zwanziger (Science).



Blue and Gold FFA Cords —

Makayla Asche, Kendall Bailey-Pint, Sheyenne Bergmann, Bo Harrington, Aiden Lamborn, Landon Pratt, Joel Winters, Ellie Woodman and Jackson Zwanziger.

Red Cord — Red Cross Blood Drive — Kendall Bailey-Pint,

Sheyenne Bergmann, Bo Harrington, Kendrick Huck, Aiden Lamborn, Autumn Nelson, Landon Pratt, Garret Rinken, Joel Winters and Jackson Zwanziger.

Iowa Bar Association Citizenship Award — Paige Ripley.

Alex Potratz Memorial Scholarship — Kendall Bailey-Pint and Aiden Lamborn.

Terri J. Santee Memorial Scholarship — Kendall Bailey-Pint.

FFA Alumni Scholarship — Kendall Bailey-Pint, Sheyenne Bergmann, Aiden Lamborn, Landon

Pratt, Joel Winters, Ellie Woodman and Jackson Zwanziger.

Lincoln Savings Bank —

Landon Pratt and Autumn Nelson.

Mick Merfeld Memorial Scholarship — Autumn Nelson.

Sara Crandall Quigley Memorial Scholarship —

Makinze Brannon.

Nick Dietz Memorial Scholarship — Jackson Zwanziger.

National Football Foundation — Aiden Lamborn.

ISU Engineering Applied Merit — Aiden Lamborn.

Bremer County Cattlemen Scholarship — Ellie Woodman

UNI Wrestling Scholarship — Garret Rinken.

UNI Panther Achievement Award — Garret Rinken.

Catholic Daughters Scholarship — Garret Rinken.

Liberal Arts and Science Excellence Scholarship — Joel

Winters.

Nashua Lion's Club Scholarship — Landon Pratt, Aiden Lamborn, and Bo Harrington.

NP Coca Cola Fund Scholarship — Bailey Fisher and

Kendrick Huck.

Nashua Women of Today —

Makinze Brannon.

Paul Szalkowski Memorial Scholarship — Makinze Brannon

First Security Bank and Trust Scholarship — Bo Harrington and

Jackson Zwanziger.

The Eileen Klingman and Debbie Turner Memorial PEO Scholarship — Autumn Nelson.

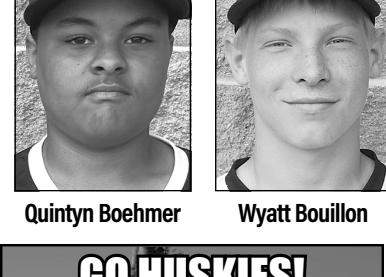
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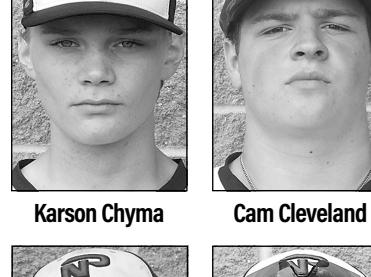
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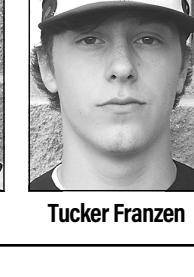
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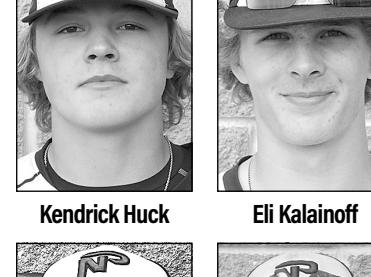
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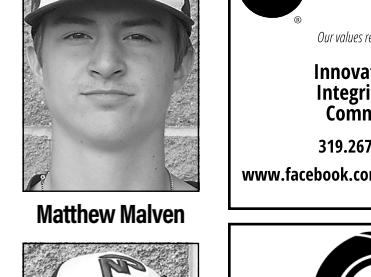
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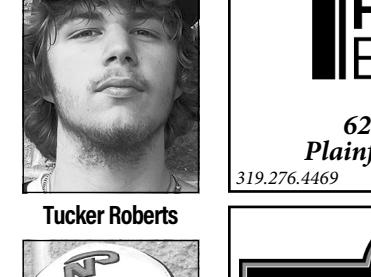
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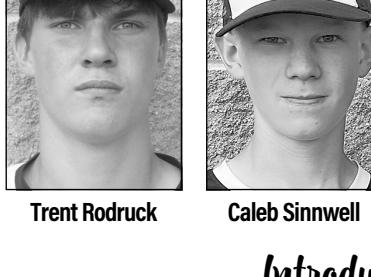
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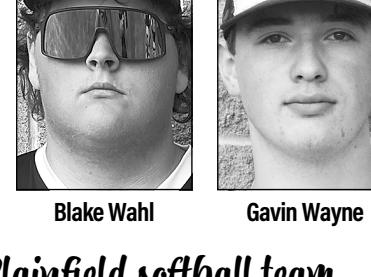
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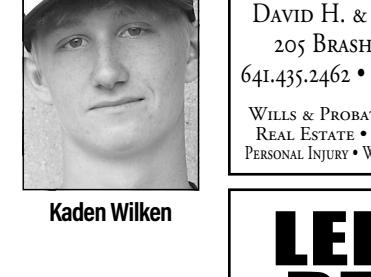
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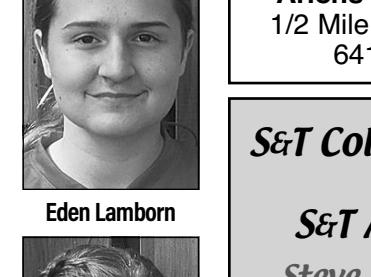
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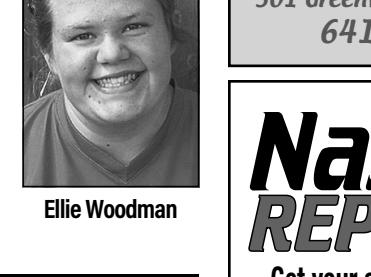
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Nashua-Plainfield Club Award — Garret Rinken and Kendall Bailey-Pint.

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Huskies get wild win at tournament

SOFTBALL: FROM 10

What transpired next was pure bedlam.

N-P junior Jalynn Pratt roped a long triple to center field to trim NH's lead to 14-2. Kami Hannemann knocked in two runs with a solid single to left-center and the scoreboard now read, 14-5, Chickasaws. Paige Franzen followed up that big hit with a two-RBI single up the box and N-P had sliced the lead in half – down 14-7.

NH head coach Tate Hofmeister then pulled Crawford in favor of Jackie Pickar.

On the very first pitch from Pickar, Pratt drilled a long, screaming liner that had home-run distance down the line in left. It was ruled foul, though, but not before slamming onto the hood of one of the many cars parked in the outfield that didn't seem safe from carnage on this night as the ball was carrying.

Instead of a 14-10 deficit for her team, Pratt flied out to left to end the inning.

"We have the hits. Obviously, I hope Pratt is a little bit more confident and can crush one over the fence just like New Hampton can," said Stastny-Hall. "She is definitely one to watch because I'm pretty sure she is going to crank one over the fence here soon."

New Hampton didn't let off the gas in the top of the fourth inning with 10 more runs in the frame to put the game away for good.

"It's the small things. We're going to have little goals per game. We're going to try to work on this and work on that," said Stastny-Hall. "Once we hit those goals, then we can hit bigger goals."

N-P (2-10, 1-6) earned its second win of the season at the Hudson Tournament on Saturday. And once again the Huskies turned the tables on an opponent. Dunkerton (0-10) raced out to a 7-0 lead after one inning of play only to see the



Kelly Terpstra/Reporter

Nashua-Plainfield's Kristen Lee looks to get the tag down on New Hampton's Sophie Glaser during Wednesday night's non-conference game in Plainfield

Huskies knot the contest up at 7-7 in the bottom of the second.

The Huskies exploded for 11 runs in the third inning versus the Raiders and rolled the rest of the way for a 19-13 slugfest victory.

N-P lost to Osage (14-0) last week Thursday and dropped the first two games of the Hudson Tournament to Denver (15-4) and Janesville (10-2). North Butler topped the Huskies 16-2 on Monday.

Hannah Brahn, just a freshman, earned the four-inning win over Dunkerton. She gave up 14 hits and 13 earned runs, but she struck out two and only walked one.

"Hannah pitched most of the games on Saturday. I know her arm was shot by the time she got done with Dunkerton, but she's giving them something to hit and I expect our defense to help her out and get those outs," said the N-P head coach.

Stastny-Hall talked about the weather at Hudson over the weekend. It was hot and cold, kind of like N-P's hitting this season.

"It was extremely hot," said Stastny-Hall. "That tournament

is either super, super hot all day long or it's cold. That's what happened in the morning. It was cold and rainy, then the sun came out. It got miserable. The ump almost passed out."

Pratt collected a triple and four RBI versus Dunkerton. Franzen amassed three hits against New Hampton to go along with three runs knocked in.

OSAGE 14, NASHUA-PLAINFIELD 0

Nashua-Plainfield 000 - 0
Osage 2(12)x - 14

Pitching - Kristen Lee 1 2/3 IP, 9 H, 13 R, 13 ER, 5 BB, 0 K, Hannah Brahn 1/3 IP, 2 H, 1 R, 1 ER, 0 BB, 0 K.

Hits - None.

DENVER 15, NASHUA-PLAINFIELD 4

Denver 843 0 - 15
Nashua-Plainfield 004 0 - 4

Pitching - Ellie Woodman 1/3 IP, 1 H, 3 R, 3 ER, 0 BB, 0 K, Lee 2 IP, 6 H, 12 R, 5 ER, 7 BB, 0 K, Brahn 1 2/3 IP, 1 H, 0 R, 0 ER, 1 BB, 1 K.

Runs - Madison Wahl 1, Woodman 1, Lily Eiffler 1, Abi Schmitt 1. Hits - Paige Franzen 1, Wahl 1, Woodman 1, Eiffler 1, Eden Lamborn 1.

JANESVILLE 10, NASHUA-PLAINFIELD 2

Janesville 251 020 - 10
Nashua-Plainfield 010 100 - 2

Pitching - Brahn 6 IP, 10 H, 10 R, 3 ER, 5 BB, 3 K.

NORTH BUTLER 16, NASHUA-PLAINFIELD 2

No line score

Pitching - Lee 3 1/3 IP, 5 H, 9 R, 9 ER, 7 BB, 1 K, Brahn 1 2/3 IP, 7 H, 7 R, 5 ER, 3 BB, 0 K.

Runs - Eiffler 1, Hannemann 1. Hits - Eiffler 1, Pratt 1, Hannemann 1. RBI - Pratt 1.

NEW HAMPTON 24, NASHUA-PLAINFIELD 7

New Hampton 347 (10) - 24
Nashua-Plainfield 007 0 - 7

Pitching - Brahn 2 1/3 IP, (N/A) H, 14 R, 10 ER, 5 BB, 0 K, Lee 1 2/3 IP, 3 H, 10 R, 0 ER, 6 BB, 2 K.

2B - Franzen 2, 3B - Pratt. Runs - Hannemann 1, Schmitt 1, Pratt 1, O'Neill 1, Lamborn 1, Wahl 1, Eiffler 1. Hits - Franzen 3, Hannemann 1, Schmitt 1, Pratt 1, O'Neill 1. RBI - Franzen 3, Hannemann 2, Pratt 1.

Runs - Franzen 1, Kami Hannemann 1. Hits - Jalynn Pratt 2, Elayna O'Neill 1. RBI - O'Neill 1.

NASHUA-PLAINFIELD 19, DUNKERTON 13

Dunkerton 700 6 - 13
Nashua-P'field 07(11) 1 - 19

Pitching - Brahn 4 IP, 14 H, 13 R, 13 ER, 1 BB, 2 K.

3B - Pratt. Runs - Pratt 3, Hannemann 3, Brahn 3, O'Neill 3, Eiffler 2, Wahl 2, Schmitt 2, Franzen 1. Hits - Eiffler 2, Pratt 1, Hannemann 1, Brahn 1, O'Neill 1. RBI - Pratt 4, O'Neill 3, Franzen 2, Wahl 2, Hannemann 2, Brahn 1, Lamborn 1.

NORTH BUTLER 16, NASHUA-PLAINFIELD 2

No line score

Pitching - Lee 3 1/3 IP, 5 H, 9 R, 9 ER, 7 BB, 1 K, Brahn 1 2/3 IP, 7 H, 7 R, 5 ER, 3 BB, 0 K.

Runs - Eiffler 1, Hannemann 1. Hits - Eiffler 1, Pratt 1, Hannemann 1. RBI - Pratt 1.

NEW HAMPTON 24, NASHUA-PLAINFIELD 7

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Huskies get strong pitching in TIC wins

SOFTBALL: FROM 10

pull out a 10-3 win.

Freshman Eli Kalainoff struck out 12 batters over five innings.

"Eli Kalainoff threw fantastic. When Eli's throwing strikes he's dominant and he knows it," said Miller. "His pitch repertoire is as good as anybody's on the team. When he throws strikes, he's going to be tough."

Kalainoff put on a show at the plate versus Osage on Friday as he blasted his first home run of the season in the third inning to help N-P (7-2, 6-1) come out on top over the Green Devils.

"Right off the bat you knew it was gone," said Miller. "He put it right into the cornfield in left. He crushed that baseball. He had a huge performance."

Kalainoff - N-P's centerfielder - went 3-4 with four runs knocked in to go along with his two-run homer and a double.

N-P junior Tucker Franzen was equally as effective on the bump as he hurled six strong innings, allowed zero earned runs to the Green Devil bats and fanned five. Franzen also earned the win against B-K the night before on the hill in relief.

"Tucker stepped up - I would say his best pitching performance of his career," said Miller. "He just absolutely shut down Osage."

N-P sophomore Dawson Glaser was once again a flamethrower on Monday against North Butler.

Glaser racked up back-to-back complete games and did it dominating fashion. He allowed just two hits - back-to-back singles - and struck out six with zero walks.

In three starts this season, Glaser is 3-0 with a 1.03 ERA. He has struck out 26 batters in just over 20 innings of work. He has issued just four walks in that stretch.

"Glaser had another fantastic outing. He works efficiently

with his pitches," said Miller. "Dawson's having a great season all-around."

N-P senior shortstop Bo Harrington rapped out three hits in the Kee game, including a double.

N-P's other loss this season came at the hands of Newman - ranked No. 2 in Class 1A - by a score of 16-0. Newman (15-1, 6-0) is just a half game ahead of N-P for first place in the TIC East as of Thursday afternoon.

NASHUA-PLAINFIELD 10, BELMOND-KLEMME 3

BK	200	001	0	-	3
NP	120	007	x	-	10

Pitching - Eli Kalainoff 5 IP, 3 H, 3 R, 3 ER, 3 BB, 12 K, Tucker Franzen 1 1/3 IP, 1 H, 0 R, 0 ER, 2 BB, 0 K, Nic Brase 2/3 IP, 1 H, 0 R, 0 ER, 0 BB, 0 K.

2B - Kalainoff, Dawson Glaser, Wyatt Bouillon. Runs - Bo Harrington 2, Bouillon 2, Gavin Wayne 2, Franzen 1, Kendrick Huck 1, Kaden Wilken 1, Hayden Munro 1. Hits - Kalainoff 2, Harrington 2, Huck 2, Bouillon 2, Franzen 1, Glaser 1. RBI - Glaser 2, Kalainoff 1, Harrington 1, Huck 1, Wayne 1.

NASHUA-PLAINFIELD 5, OSAGE 2

Osage	100	100	0	-	2
NP	002	300	x	-	5

Pitching - Franzen 6 IP, 5 H, 2 R, 0 ER, 1 BB, 5 K, Brase 1 IP, 0 H, 0 R, 0 ER, 1 BB, 0 K.

2B - Kalainoff. HR - Kalainoff.

Runs - Kalainoff 1, Landon Pratt 1, Huck 1, Wilken 1, Wayne 1. Hits - Kalainoff 3, Pratt 1, Wilken 1. RBI - Kalainoff 3, Pratt 1, Wilken 1. RBIs - Kalainoff 4.

NASHUA-PLAINFIELD 7, NORTH BUTLER 1

NB	000	001	0	-	1
NP	041	110	x	-	7

Pitching - Glaser 7 IP, 2 H, 1 R, 1 ER, 0 BB, 7 K.

2B - Bouillon. Runs - Huck 2, Bouillon 2, Franzen 1, Pratt 1, Wayne 1. Hits - Kalainoff 2, Huck 2, Bouillon 1, Wayne 1. RBI - Bouillon 2, Kalainoff 1, Franzen 1, Huck 1, Wayne 1.

KEE HIGH 11, NASHUA-PLAINFIELD 1

Kee	042	004	1	-	11
NP	100	000	0	-	1

Pitching - Kalainoff 4 IP, 2 H, 6 R, 2 ER, 5 BB, 4 K, Brase 2 1/3 IP, 3 H, 5 R, 2 ER, 6 BB, 2 K.

2B - Harrington. Runs - Franzen 1. Hits - Harrington 3, Kalainoff 1, Glaser 1, Bouillon 1. RBI - Pratt 1.

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Capping off the season at state!

Nashua-Plainfield student J.R. O'Neill gets ready to track a clay at a trapshooting meet earlier this year.

O'Neill will join the rest of his Charles City/Nashua-Plainfield teammates at one of the biggest spectacles in trapshooting — the state meet — this weekend in Cedar Falls and almost 5,000 shooters from around the state in the meet that began on Wednesday and ends this Sunday.

Kelly Terpstra/Reporter



N-P continues solid diamond play in the TIC

Nashua-Plainfield gets impressive home wins against East foes Osage, North Butler

BY KELLY TERPSTRA

Of the Reporter

Hungry and humble — just the way Levi Miller likes it.

Hopefully the Nashua-Plainfield baseball team can stay that way this summer.

It would be wise to not pay any attention to the 11-1 victory the Kee High Hawks were able to orchestrate over Miller's N-P Huskies this past week Tuesday.

Although that score might not be an anomaly, it's certainly not indicative of the kind of season N-P has had so far in 2023.

You can add Mason City Newman to that list as well.

Outside of those aforementioned blowout losses, the Huskies have won all seven other games they've played and done so in impressive fashion.

"With the Kee game, we just beat ourselves. We walked too many guys. We had too many errors in the field and we had baserunning errors. It wasn't us," said Miller. "Guys know that. They put that in perspective."

It was still another impressive set of games for the 7-2 Huskies in the Top of Iowa Conference games they played over the course of five days. Although the first win came against a TIC West opponent in Belmond-Klemme, N-P finished strong in the league portion of its games this week with a 5-2 win over Osage last week Friday and a dominant triumph over North Butler, 7-1.

Regardless of the feel-good vibe the Huskies have going this summer, Miller knows it best to hold your head high, but not get too boastful about a successful start.

"We don't like our guys to get too happy," said Miller. "This is Iowa high school baseball. On any given night, anybody can beat anybody."

And the Kee High Hawks did just that. Two seasons removed



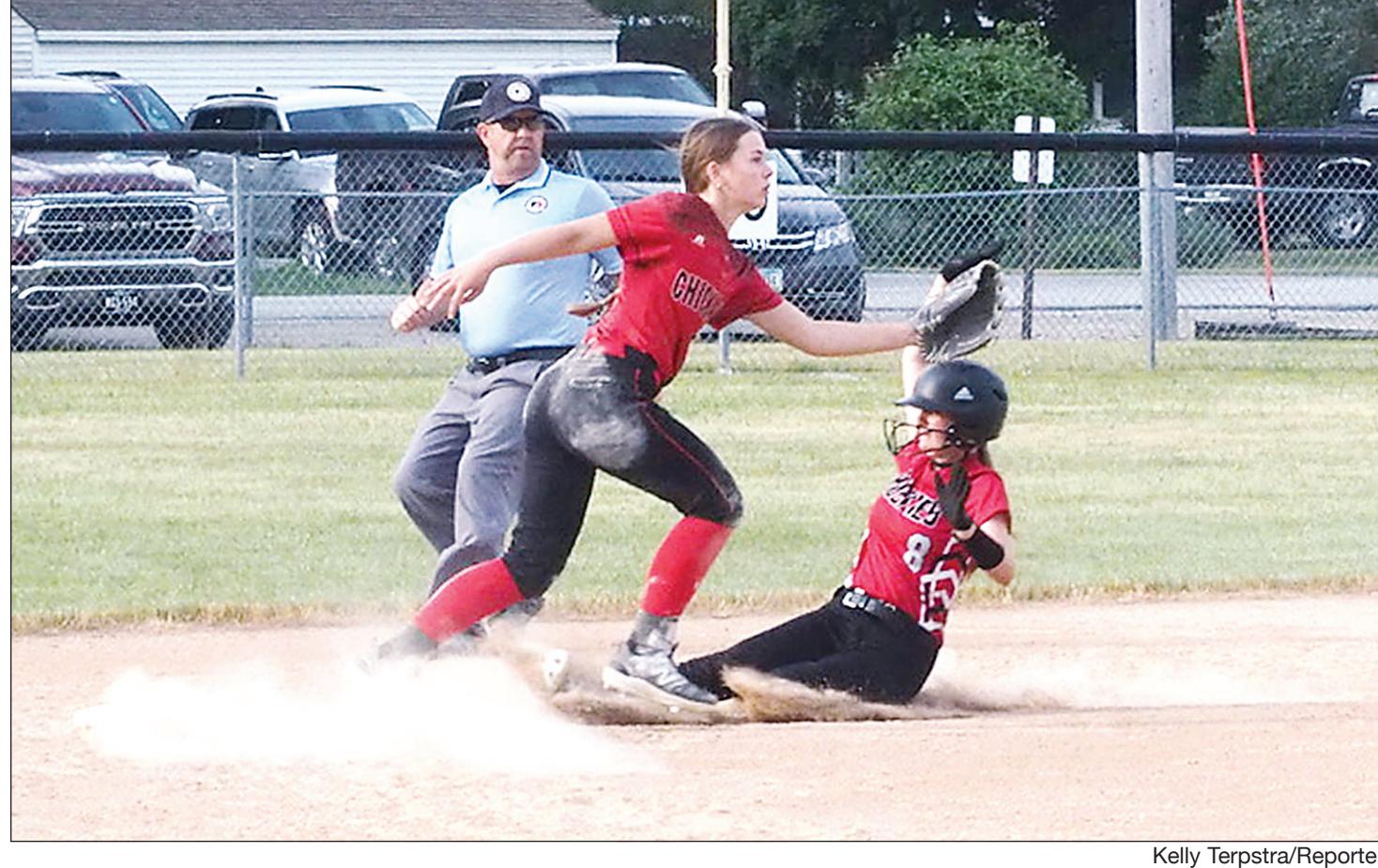
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Tucker Franzen (above) scores a run for the Huskies while Eli Kalainoff chases down a fly ball in the outfield in Nashua-Plainfield's win over St. Ansgar last week.

from a state runner-up finish, the Hawks lost eight seniors from last year's state finals squad. Kee came out on top after N-P's defense self-imploded with seven errors.

N-P had a game on its hands with Belmond-Klemme last week Thursday. The Broncos jumped out to a 2-0 lead after a half an inning and kept the score tied at 3-3 headed into the bottom of the sixth. That's when N-P jumped on B-K pitching for seven runs in that frame to help

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Nashua-Plainfield's Abi Schmitt (above) slides safely into second for an easy stolen base while teammate Madison Wahl (below) makes a catch in the outfield during Wednesday night's non-conference game against New Hampton.

WILD NIGHT ON THE DIAMOND

AFTER GETTING A WIN AGAINST DUNKERTON, HUSKIES FALL TO CHICKASAWS, 24-7

BY KELLY TERPSTRA

Of the Reporter

Down to its last strike and a check swing away from the night being over, the Nashua-Plainfield softball team regrouped, rallied and made this one a game — albeit for about a half of an inning.

The New Hampton Chickasaws pulverized the softball in a non-conference area clash with N-P at Leonard Yilek Memorial Field in Plainfield on Wednesday evening.

The Huskies and head coach Jessica Stastny-Hall's Top of Iowa Conference squad lost, but they didn't quit.

"They know how to fight back," said Stastny-Hall. "Being down 14-0 is a hard way to come back on. They had the rally in them."

New Hampton (5-2) slammed three home runs — one a grand slam by Claire Geerts — to create a cavalcade of runs cross the plate as the Chickasaws proved once again this season that they can smash the softball en route to a 24-7 thrashing of the young Huskies.

"We'll get there — we have a freshman and a sophomore pitcher — it's coming with time,"

said Stastny-Hall.

New Hampton raced out to a 7-0 lead through two innings — highlighted by senior Kandice Eggerichs two-run bomb in the first inning that almost smacked up against the sign that adorns Yilek's name.

Then the third inning rolled around — a frame that saw eighth-grade hurler Caycee Crawford lead off the inning with a solo shot to deep left field.

She would not finish the game inside the circle, though, as the Huskies eventually got to her in the ensuing bottom half of the third. But before Crawford was pulled, NH plated six more runs to take a commanding 14-0 lead.

Geerts' grand slam to right field — she also had a deep, two-RBI double down the right field line in the fourth inning — made the score 12-0.

Crawford was one strike away from ending the contest via the 12-run rule in the bottom of the third after she got freshman Elayna O'Neill to check swing. The umpire ruled ball, though, and O'Neill took her base to prolong the inning.

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FRIDAY

Baseball at West Fork, JV at 5:30 p.m., varsity at 7:30 p.m.

Softball at West Fork, varsity at 6 p.m., JV at 7:30 p.m.

MONDAY

JV baseball vs. Riceville, 9:30 a.m.

Baseball at Rockford, JV at 5:30 p.m., varsity at 7:30 p.m.

Softball at Rockford, varsity at 6 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Baseball vs. Northwood-Kensett, JV at 4 p.m., varsity at 6 p.m.

Softball vs. Northwood-Kensett, varsity at 6 p.m., JV at 7:30 p.m.

THURSDAY

Baseball at Janesville, varsity at 5 p.m., JV at 7 p.m.

Softball at Janesville, varsity at 5 p.m., JV at 6:30 p.m.

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